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AND COMMODITY ORDERING SYSTEM

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**AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

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In response to the Official Action dated June 7, 2004, Applicant respectfully requests under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 that the above-identified Application be amended as follows and that the Application be allowed.

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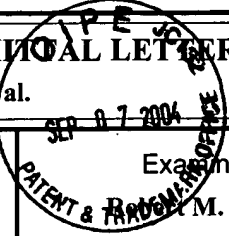
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Invention:  
**COMMODITY ORDERING METHOD AND COMMODITY ORDERING SYSTEM**

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.  
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